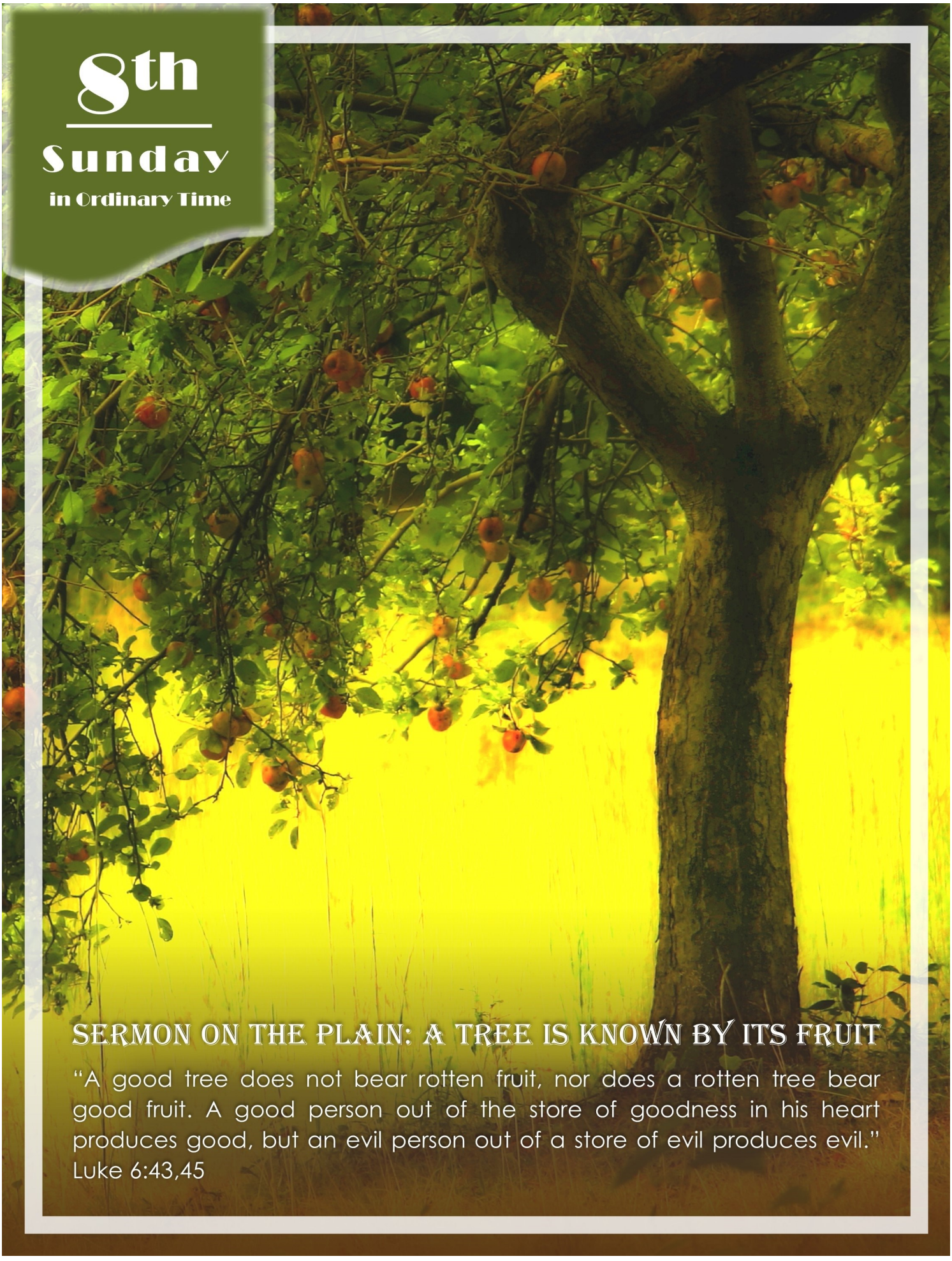
8th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Sermon on the Plain: A tree is known by its fruit

"A good tree does not bear rotten fruit, nor does a rotten tree bear good fruit. A good person out of the store of goodness in his heart produces good, but an evil person out of a store of evil produces evil."
Luke 6:43,45

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES OF MILLBURY
ST. BRIGID † OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

PARISH OFFICES ARE LOCATED AT:

St. Brigid Parish
59 Main Street, Millbury, MA 01527
Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM
(508) 865-6624 • **Fax:** (508) 865-3101

Assumption Parish Phone: (508) 865-2657

St. Vincent de Paul: (774) 262-5506

www.assumptionmillbury.org
www.stbrigidparish.org

Check our websites for individual email addresses.

MASS TIMES

Assumption Church
12 Waters Street

Mon. & Thurs.: 9:00 AM
Tues. & Wed.: 7:00 AM
Sun.: 9:00 AM

St. Brigid Church
59 Main Street

Sat.: 4:00 PM
Sun.: 7:00 AM & 11:00 AM (June - Sept.)
Sun.: 7:00 AM & 11:30 AM (Oct. - May)

PASTORAL & ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Fr. Dan Mulcahy, *Pastor*

Deacon Ron Buron, K.H.S., *Permanent Deacon*
Facilities Manager
Safe Env. Coordinator

Sister Jeanne Richard, S.A.S.V.,
Pastoral Care Ministry

Claudette Belair, *Music Director*

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Family Ministry

Monica Hamilton McCarthy, *Bulletin & Web Editor**

Ronald Marlborough, *Maintenance Director*

Carol Trainque, *RCIA Director*
Liturgical Coordinator

Melissa Turner, *Administrative Assistant,*
Cantor

Members of the staff may be contacted by calling the Parish Offices at (508) 865-6624. The offices are open Monday through Thursday from 8:30 AM until 3:00 PM. If the offices are closed, feel free to leave a voicemail and we will get back to you as soon as we are able.

SACRAMENTS OF THE CHURCH

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturdays 3:00 PM to 3:45 PM
or anytime upon request.

Baptism

Baptism Gatherings, to prepare families for the sacrament of Baptism, are held 4 times a year. Baptisms are held each month.
For more information, or to make arrangements, please call the parish offices at (508) 865-6624.

Marriage

Please call the rectory at least one year in advance.

Anointing of the Sick and Communion Calls

Please call the rectory when a parishioner is confined at home, is in the hospital, or placed in a nursing home or hospice. Holy Communion is brought to shut-ins upon request.

*Bulletin items must be emailed to monica.hamilton@stbrigidparish.org, either in the body of the email, or as an attached Word document. Deadline for each weekend's bulletin is 10 AM the preceding Thursday. We prioritize parish and local events, space is limited so items may only appear once, and are run on a first-come, first served basis. To purchase ad space for ongoing events, call Pilot Bulletins at 617.779.3771.

Assumption School
Millbury, MA
A legacy of learning...a history with heart

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Millbury, MA 01527
(508) 865-5404 (voice)
julie.olson@assumption-cs.org
www.assumptionschoolmillbury.org

Mass Intentions

Sat., March 2

4:00 PM **Deceased Members of the Chartier & Bourgery Families**
By: Ted & Felice Jakubiak

Sun., March 3

7:00 AM **Loretta M. Kunzinger**
(11th Anniversary)
By: The Estate

9:00 AM **Arthur G. Boucher**
By: His Wife Mary & Family

11:30 AM **Christina Erickson**
By: The Family

Mon., March 4

9:00 AM **The People of the Catholic Parishes of Millbury**

Tues., March 5

7:00 AM **Sr. Fernande Richard, SASV**
By: The Staff

Wed., March 6, Ash Wednesday

7:00 AM **Margaret M. Kunzinger**
By: The Estate

9:00 AM **Oscar Arrell & Family**
Franklin Gillespie & Family
Lucielle St. Martin & Joseph Kosciusko
By: Lucienne Gillespie

6:30 PM **The Intentions of Joseph Edwards**
By: Fr. Dan

Thurs. March 7

9:00 AM **Judith Chiancola**
By: Her Sisters

Friday, March 8

6:30 PM **Jack DeCillis**
By: Gene & Marie Colacchio

Sat., March 9

4:00 PM **Rose-Marie & Lawrence Bernard**
(1st Anniversary)
By: Mike & Lucille Maguire

Sun., March 10

7:00 AM **Anna Edwards**
John Volungis, Jr.
By: The Family

9:00 AM **Philip Delongchamp**
By: Aline Bourdeau

11:30 AM **Charles Mancuso**
(5th Anniversary)
By: The Family

(N.B. Mass Intentions are handwritten in the official Daily Mass Record Book. Our apologies for any errors or misspelled names.)

Ministry Schedule

Saturday, March 9 4:00 PM at St. Brigid

AS: T. Yaz, R. Prue, J. Prue;
L: K. Levitre
EM: J. Nietupski, P. DiDomenica, C. Piorkowski, K.Anderson

Sunday, March 10, 7:00 AM at St. Brigid

AS: J. Mazeika
L: J. Rogers
EM: N. Tabor, A. Nocchi

Sunday, March 10, 9:00 AM at Assumption

AS: A. Weeks, A. Drapeau, J. Giro
L: D. DeCaro
EM: R. Bazin, M. Sprino, T. Tronerud, J. Giro

Sunday, March 10, 11:30 AM at St. Brigid

AS: T. Jakubiak, F. Jakubiak
L: J. Geneva, J. Geneva
EM: P. Prince, J. Prince

Scripture for the week of March 3, 2019

3	SUN	Sir 27:4-7/1 Cor 15:54-58/Lk 6:39-45
4	Mon	Sir 17:20-24/Mk 10:17-27
5	Tue	Sir 35:1-12/Mk 10:28-31
6	Wed	Jl 2:12-18/2 Cor 5:20—6:2/ Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
7	Thu	Dt 30:15-20/Lk 9:22-25
8	Fri	Is 58:1-9a/Mt 9:14-15
9	Sat	Is 58:9b-14/Lk 5:27-32
10	SUN	Dt 26:4-10/Rom 10:8-13/Lk 4:1-13

Lenten Schedule

Wednesday, March 6 is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent. Masses will be celebrated at 7 and 9 AM at Assumption, and 6:30 PM at St. Brigid. Every Friday through April 5, Mass with Stations of the Cross will be held at 6:30 PM at Assumption until the Tenebrae Service on Friday, April 12 at 7:30 PM at Assumption. The Living Stations of the Cross will be held Good Friday, April 19 at 7:30 PM at St. Brigid. Easter Sunday is April 21. The Easter Vigil is Saturday, April 20 at 7:30 PM at Assumption. Easter Sunday Masses are at the usual times.

Lenten Literature

With the Lenten season upon us, it might be helpful for us to participate in this season of prayer, sacrifice and meditation, with the help of a book or pamphlet to guide us in anticipation of celebrating the Passion, Death and Resurrection of our Savior. Such material is available at Assumption Church's Library.

SANCTUARY CANDLES BURNING MARCH 2-8:

Our Lady of the Assumption
In Loving Memory of
Connor Francis Tronerud
Requested by: His Parents Jason & Teresa & His Brother Kyle

St. Brigid
In Loving Memory of
Claire Houle
Requested by: Deacon Ron & Kathy Buron

Ash Wednesday Schedule
Wednesday, March 6 is Ash Wednesday. Masses will be celebrated at 7 & 9 AM at Assumption, and 6:30 PM at St. Brigid.

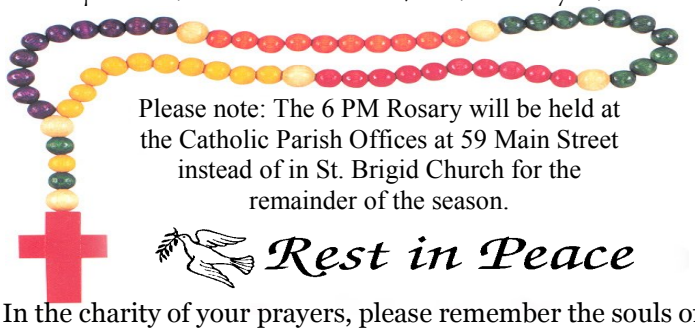
MINISTRY OF PRAYER
Prayer Line 508-865-5373
If you, or someone you know, is in need of prayer, call the confidential prayer line listed above.

Remember in Prayer this Week:

Those who serve in our Military:

Marc Winchester **Emily Weagle**
Patrick Weeks

Reminder: Forms are available at each parish to add names to the Prayer List or call the rectory at 508-865-6624 with your request. Names will be removed on a monthly basis.



Please note: The 6 PM Rosary will be held at the Catholic Parish Offices at 59 Main Street instead of in St. Brigid Church for the remainder of the season.

Rest in Peace

In the charity of your prayers, please remember the souls of Brian W. Lambert and Therese L. Pedodeau who have gone home to God. May they rest in Christ's eternal light and peace.

In Loving Memory

John & Julia Anger
Lee Aubin
Maryann Auger
Jeanne Augustine
Larry F. Army
Albina Bartkus
Francis R. Beaudoin
Arthur G. Boucher
Natalie Bourdeau
Patricia Bourdeau
Sylvio E. Bourdeau
Joseph & Rose Cataldo
Frank Cammuso, Jr.
Michael J. Cammuso
Philip Chabot, Sr.
Albert and Helen Collette
Pat and Tiff Correia
Donna "Gain" Cournoyer
Roland O. Couture
Gerald & Peggy Croteau
George A. D'Auteuil, Jr.
George A. D'Auteuil, Sr.
Raymond DeRouin
Armand Desorcy
Joseph Dunn
Timothy P. Eckland
Jonathan Favreau
Lois M. Fisher
Joe & Jean Gagliardi
William Gain, Jr.
Bernice Gaudere
Ruth Gonsorcik
Daniel Guadagnoli
John & Irene Guyan
Robert James (Sam) Guyan
Derek Hamilton
Patricia Hamilton
Matthew Hartline
Russell Hicks
John Huchowski
Paul J. Jandron
Joanne Juskavitch
Claire Kobel
Richard Kroll
Michael Krumsiek
Lillian Langevin
Tan Le
Noe R. LeBeau, Sr.
Edward L. Lemoine
Kevin Lemoine
Rita Lemoine
Lorraine Letendre
Mark Lizotte
William and Irene Louis
Lucille Magowan & Arlington Chase
Leo & Jane Metivier
Kenneth Michalak
Mary B. Mrozinski
Daniel R. Mulcahy, Sr.
Joseph Noonan
Albert Nikosey
John P. & Bridget O'Malley
Janet Parsekian
Stephen Rodwill
Elaine Roy
Darlene Russell
Dorothy Russell
Marshall Russell
Michael W. Russell
William Russell
Albert & June Russo
Bob & Rita Shea
C. Richard Stockhaus
Joseph F. Stockwell
James Tabor
Neal R. Thomas
Connor Tronerud
Robert E. Vaillancourt
Lucille Vecchione
Virginia Waitonis
William T. Walsh
Margaret Wendt
Ronald Woodward
Duane & Delores Wunn
Frank J. Yaz

Would you like to remember a loved one in our Remembrance section? The cost of enrollment will be a $50 donation for the year. Please contact the office (508) 865-6624 to enroll your loved one(s).

SATURDAY ~ MARCH 2
NO EVENTS

SUNDAY ~ MARCH 3
NO Children's Liturgy of the Word @ OLAC/OLAH 9 AM
Faith Formation Grades 3 & 4 @ OLAS 10-11:20 AM
SVDP Food Drive @ SBH 12:15 PM
Faith Formation Grades 9 & 10 @ OLAS 6-7:30 PM
SLAA @ SBH 7:30 PM

MONDAY ~ MARCH 4
CPO Closed at 2 PM for Staff Meeting
Adoration/Novena @ SBC - 6-7 PM
Faith Formation Grades 5 & 6 @ OLAH - 6-7:30 PM

TUESDAY ~ MARCH 5
Daytime Cafe @ CPO - 11 AM-12:15 PM
NO Holy Hour & Confessions @ SBC 6-7 PM
Choir Rehearsal @ SBC 7 PM
OA @ SBH - 6:30-8 PM

WEDNESDAY ~ MARCH 6
ASH WEDNESDAY:
Masses @ OLAC 7 AM & 9 AM
Mass @ SBC 6:30 PM
No Prayer Shawl

THURSDAY ~ MARCH 7
MUSTARD SEED TEAM #3
NO Girl Scouts @ OLAH 5:45-7:30 PM
Rosary @ CPO - 6 PM
OLAS PTG Meeting @ OLAH 6-8 PM
Boy Scouts @ SBH 6-8 PM

FRIDAY ~ MARCH 8
Stations of the Cross & Mass @ OLAC 6:30 PM

SATURDAY ~ MARCH 9
NO EVENTS

SUNDAY ~ MARCH 10
Children's Liturgy of the Word @ OLAC/OLAH 9 AM
Faith Formation Grade 2 @ OLAS 10-11:20 AM
Faith Formation Grades 9 & 10 @ OLAS 6-7:30 PM
CSAW Info. Meeting @ OLAH 7:30-8:30 PM
SLAA @ SBH 7:30 PM

KEY TO LOCATIONS

SBC=St. Brigid Church
SBH=St. Brigid Hall
CPO=Catholic Parish Offices
OLAC=Assumption Church
OLAH=Assumption Hall
OLAS=Assumption School

Snow Policy: No School/No Mass
For the safety of our parishioners, when school is **canceled or delayed** in Millbury, daily Mass is also canceled.

St. Patrick's Day Celebration at the Mansion

Celebrate St. Patrick's Day at the Asa Waters Mansion on Sunday, March 17 from 6-9 PM, with music by **Dublin Down,** readings from the great works of Irish literature by **Stephen Collins,** and traditional **Irish Dinner** and Cash Bar! Tickets are $35. Call 774-708-0466 or email JMcElroy@townofmillbury.net for tickets!

•Irish Dinner!

•Traditional & Contemporary Irish & Celtic Music!

•Best-loved Irish poems and stories !

Newport Playhouse Bus Trip

Immaculate Conception Church will host a bus trip on Thursday, June 6 to the Newport Playhouse & Cabaret Restaurant to see a performance of *Always a Bridesmaid.* $89 includes Newport's Ocean Drive, Show, Cabaret and Buffet Luncheon The Silver Fox Bus. Will be at Immaculate Conception Church, 353 Grove St., Worcester.at 8:45 a.m. for a 9 a.m. departure, returning at about 6 p.m. Note: there is an 8 a.m. Mass on Thursdays. Send $89 check payable to FOX TOURS, with name, phone to Michelle Deignan, 227 Saint Nicholas Ave, Worcester MA 01606. Questions? Call or text Michelle (508) 596-4778. DEADLINE to register is May 10.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish will hold its next 6-part series of "A New Day Ministry" beginning **Monday, March 4, 1-2:30 pm** in the Parish Hall, 111 Worcester St., West Boylston. For more information or to register (required prior to the start of the sessions) call Renate Isbell (508) 835-3286.

ADULT EDUCATION SERIES, led by Father Dan. Come soar with the Eagle as we walk through the last and perhaps the greatest of the gospels, the Gospel of John. Bring a favorite Bible or one will be provided.

Location – Assumption Hall
Time: 6:30 – 8:00 PM
Wed., March 13
Wed., Apr. 3
Wed., May 8
Wed., June 12

STEWARDSHIP

St. Brigid Parish

Income

Weekend of February 16/17, 2019

Regular Weekly Collection	$3,325.00
Ordinary Collection Monthly	$142.00
Electronic Giving (February 11-18, 2019)	$945.00
Total Regular Weekly Collection	**$4,412.00**
Other Parish Income:	
Debt	$110.00
Debt (*Electronic Giving*)	$125.00
Specialty Ministries *(incl. online when appl.)*	$553.00
Utilities *(incl. online when applicable)*	$186.00
Mass Stipends	$10.00
In Remembrance	$100.00
Initial Offering	$8.00
OLA Reimbursement	$4,149.02
Solemnity of Mary	$4.00
Catholic Free Press	$154.00
Total Other Income	**$5,399.02**
Total Income	**$9,811.02**

Cash Flow figures will appear in a future bulletin.

FINANCIAL HEALTH

SECOND COLLECTIONS:
March 3—Debt
March 10 –Debt

Our Lady of the Assumption Parish

Income

Weekend of February 16/17, 2019

Regular Weekly Collection	$1,546.00
Ordinary Collection Monthly	$0.00
Electronic Giving (February 11-18, 2019)	$155.00
Total Regular Weekly Collection	**$1,701.00**
Other Parish Income:	
Debt	$0.00
Debt (*Online Giving*)	$25.00
Specialty Ministry	$348.00
Mass Stipends	$20.00
Utilities *(incl. online when appl.)*	$180.00
Initial Offering	$28.00
Catholic Free Press	$39.00
Mustard Seed	$5.00
Total Other Income	**$645.00**
Total Income	**$2,346.00**

St. Brigid's debt figure, after the December payment and Diocesan match, is $137,121.60.

BISHOP BERNARD J. FLANAGAN Council 12710 Sutton, MA. Active in St. Mark, St. Brigid and Assumption Parishes

As we progressed as a Council, in 2004 Steve Hanna headed our first Annual Golf Tournament at Clearview GC in Millbury. Little did we know that over the years this event would be so successful that it would become our main fundraiser for our Scholarship Program. In March of 2005, we started our first Drive-by Fish Fry. With our Fish Fries being in the winter, under a tent, the elements can present problems. So when the offer of a trailer was presented by Peter Sirard, we gratefully accepted. For the start of our Fish Fry in '09 our trailer was ready, with fry-o-lators, fridge, sink and heat, we were ready to go. This trailer gave us 9 years of service, going from 50 lbs of fish a week to 100 lbs and now up to 225 lbs. We were outgrowing this trailer when a member of the Lions Club approached us with an offer of an old trailer a little over twice the size of what we had. After much time and effort from our dedicated members, this trailer will be in service for our 2019 Lenten Fish Fry. Hope to see you all there at St. Marks parking lot March 8 at 4 pm. (see below for more dates)

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Lenten Fish Fry begins March 8 in St. Mark's parking lot Sutton, from 4 pm to 7 pm or whenever we run out. It continues every Friday in Lent, (March 15, 22, 29, April 5, and April 12) with the exception of Good Friday. Besides the Fish & chips, Fish Chowder will also be served. All are welcome.

K of C Benefit for Assumption School

Order tickets for the upcoming Knights of Columbus Pasta Dinner/Comedy Show "Jokes my Irish Father Told Me" on March 24 at St. Brigid Church Hall, with proceeds going to Assumption School. Doors open at 12:30 PM with a Pasta dinner served at 1 PM and show at 2 PM. Cost is $20 per person, and please reserve by March 15. Seating is limited. Contact Gary at 774-276-2247.

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19TH ANNUAL DIOCESAN CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE

Men (of all ages, including teens and college students) are invited to this important annual Conference, scheduled for Assumption College on **Saturday, April 6**. Visit the conference website at **www.firstmensconf.org** for information and to purchase tickets online and elsewhere. Come and hear dynamic talks from outstanding Catholic leaders: Kevin Dunn, Francesco Cesareo, Trent Horn, Father Warren Savage, Mike Aquilina and Eric Mahl. Bishops and priests will hear confessions. Bishop McManus will offer the Conference Mass. For a Conference brochure, further information or registration, call Sara Smillie at 508-929-4345. Adult tickets are $45 until March 25, afterwards $60. Student tickets are always $30.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul

Diocese of Worcester
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
Phone: 774-262-5506

MONTHLY MEETINGS
3rd Sunday - 10:00 AM
The Offices of the
Catholic Parishes of Millbury
New Members Welcome!

PARISH FOOD COLLECTION

Monthly: 1st Weekend
Food Bins are located in the Main Entrance of the Church

All food donations must be dropped off on food drive dates and placed in the large blue bins only, no exceptions. NO Perishables, NO Cleanouts.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Monthly: 1st Weekend - 12:15 PM
St. Brigid Church Hall

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS LIST

THE PANTRY IS IN NEED OF:
Baking Mixes, Crackers, any kind, Coffee and Tea

Please No Perishable, Expired Dates, or Pet Food.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL THRIFT SHOP

Monday thru Saturday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
507 Park Ave., Worcester (508) 752-4232

CRS RICE BOWL

"After the resurrection, when the disciples went forth in all directions, the Lord accompanied them. This is what happens as the result of true encounter." – Pope Francis

Dear Families,

During Lent, our community will participate in CRS Rice Bowl, a faith-in-action program that invites us to encounter the needs of the world with the hope of the Resurrection.

We will reflect on how this encounter can be transformative. We will see how our Lenten prayers, fasting and almsgiving can respond to Pope Francis's invitation to *Share the Journey* by supporting those worldwide who are forced to flee their homes to find safety or better opportunities.

As we prepare for this holy season, it is especially important to come together as a family and reflect on the crosses of hunger, poverty and war that our brothers and sisters forced to flee their homes carry. In so doing, we pledge to stand alongside these members of our human family, supporting them as the Gospel calls us to do.

Please consider these suggestions in your family's Lenten plan: Use your CRS Rice Bowl and Lenten Calendar daily to guide your prayer, fasting and almsgiving. Read the Stories of Hope and daily reflections to inspire your Lenten journey—and guide your Lenten almsgiving.

Prepare simple, meatless meals on the Fridays of Lent to eat in solidarity with our brothers and sisters around the world. Visit **crsricebowl.org** to watch videos of the people and communities you support through your Lenten gifts to Bowl. We will collect your CRS Rice Bowls at the end so stay tuned to learn more.

Thank you for participating in CRS Rice Bowl with your family.

P.S. Did you know that CRS Rice Bowl has a web page specifically for families? Visit **crsricebowl.org/families** for activities that will help your family grow in our Catholic faith this Lenten season.

encounter Lent

FATAL FLAWS FILM AND DISCUSSION AT ST. ANDREW, WORCESTER

Are laws allowing assisted suicide leading society down a dangerous path? The Massachusetts legislature is currently trying to legalize it here. See the film by Kevin Dunn followed by discussion with Kris Correira of Witness for Life. Co-sponsored by Emmanuel Radio. St. Andrew the Apostle Church, 5 Spaulding St., Worcester on **Sunday, March 3 from 3 to 4:30 pm**. Free and open to the public.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

"Therefore, my beloved brothers and sisters, be firm, steadfast, always fully devoted to the work of the Lord." Be firm, steadfast and devoted to your marriage by attending a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Weekends are Mar 8-10, 2019 in Duxbury, MA and Apr 13-14, 2019 in Brewster, MA. For more information, call Stephen & Michelle O'Leary at 800-710-9963 or visit them at https://wwmema.org/.

Youth & Family Faith Formation

flocknote

Flocknote is a new parish communication tool we are implementing to help keep parishioners informed and up-to-date on parish life.

TO JOIN, TEXT THE WORD MILLBURY TO 84576

It's Time to Register for CSAW 2019!

July 29 - Aug 2
Assumption College
Open to Youth Currently in Grades 8-12
$100 Deposit Due April 1st

To register for CSAW or for more information please contact: Greg Bernard at greg.bernard@stbrigidparish.org

CSAW INFO & REGISTRATION MEETING
Sunday, March 10th at 7:30PM
In Assumption Hall

Diocesan Middle School Youth Rally

All Middle School youth in grades 6-8 are invited to join us for the Diocesan Middle School Rally on Sunday, April 7 at St. Peter-Marian! Cost is $15. The event will run from 1-5 p.m. and will include games, activities, snacks, speakers, and Mass. For more information or to register, contact Greg Bernard at greg.bernard@stbrigidparish.org

Welcome all families and children to a new year of Family Faith Formation! All sessions begin in Assumption Church Hall promptly at the designated time.

UPCOMING FAITH FORMATION SCHEDULE

Grade 2	March 10 10:00-11:20
Grades 3 & 4	March 3 & 17 10:00 - 11:20AM
Grades 5 & 6	March 4 6:00 - 7:15PM
Grades 7 & 8	February 24 6:00-7:30PM
Grade 9	March 3 6:00 - 7:30PM
Grade 10	March 3 6:00 - 7:30PM

CRS Catholic Relief Services RICE BOWL

COMING MARCH 10TH

Start saving your loose change!

Assumption School
Millbury, MA
A legacy of learning...a history with heart

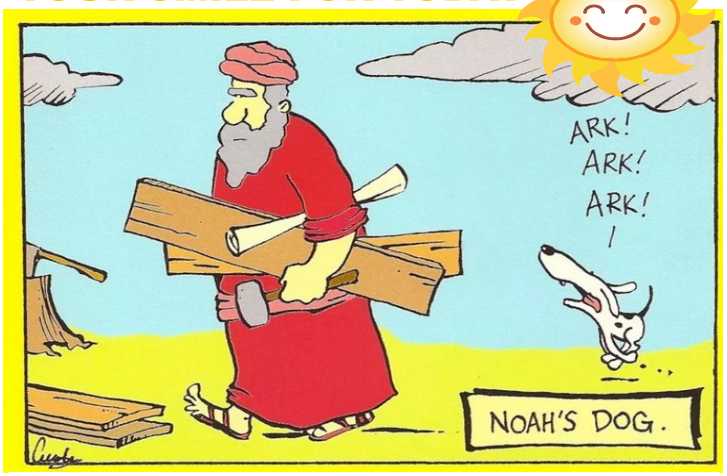
Handwriting Contest

Assumption school students took part in the Zaner-Bloser Handwriting Contest. Congratulations to the School Level winners:
Ashley (K), Ella, (First Grade),
Emma (Second Grade), Tessa (Third Grade),
Declan (Fourth Grade), Morgan (Fifth Grade)
The work of these students has now been sent to the Zaner-Bloser State Level Competition.

Save the Date for June Ordinations

Ordination to the Permanent Diaconate will take place on **Saturday, June 1, at 10 a.m.** at the Cathedral of St. Paul. And also mark in your calendars the priesthood ordination date of June ordinations for priests and transitional deacons is **Saturday, June 22 at 10 am**, at Cathedral of St. Paul. We look forward to seeing you there! Contact Fr. Jim Mazzone with any questions at jmazzone@charter.net or 508-340-5788.

YOUR SMILE FOR TODAY



K OF C SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS OPEN

Knights of Columbus Annual Scholarship Fund Applications are now available at each church and Assumption School. All applications are due no later than June 1st and all recipients will be notified by June 12. Contact Gary at 774-276-2247 or Tony at 508-735-7378, with questions; leave a message if no answer..

Eligibility: Members of the Sutton and Millbury Catholic Churches, and members of the Bishop Flanagan Council #12710, (whose dues are paid in full for the current year) may apply for a scholarship. Each applicant must be an active parish member and must obtain a letter of recommendation from their pastor. Applications must include essays on the topics: **"Share your reflections on faith and growth as a parishioner of your parish"** or **"Why I need & and how this scholarship will benefit me."** Winners agree to use the award for school tuition, books or uniforms and have a picture taken by the Council to be used at the Council's discretion.

Amount of Scholarships

Grade Level & Amount of Scholarship

K-6	**$500**
7-9	**$500**
10-12	**$500**
College	**$500**

All applications are due by June 1, 2019.

Winners will be notified by June 12 via Registered Mail, Return Receipt Requested and have 10 days to notify the committee as described in the award letter. If an applicant does not respond within 10 days, the first runner up will win. If they also do not respond within 10 Days, the money for that slot will be returned to the scholarship fund. Awards will be presented at a dinner in June. All applicants must be present to receive their award. If an applicant is not present, a parent must be present to receive it.

If you or someone you know has been sexually abused by a priest, religious, or lay person working for the Church, and you need a place to talk about your feelings of betrayal or hurt by the Church, call Judith Audette Office for Healing and Prevention, (508) 929-4363. A 24-hour-a-day confidential voicemail is available.

PARISH AND LOCAL AREA NEWS

MILLBURY SENIOR CENTER ACTIVITIES

RMV TRANSACTIONS

Every Wednesday 10 AM - 2 PM
We focus on Duplicates/Renewals for License, Registration, Mass I.D. and Placard Cards along with Change of Address! Call us for an appointment!
(508) 865-9154

THE MILLBURY SENIOR CENTER IS NOW ACCEPTING SNAP APPLICATIONS
(Food Stamps)

Our appointments are on Tuesdays & Thursdays 10 AM. – 2 PM. Call for an appointment & required documentation. 508-865-9154

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

ALL NEW!! MAHJONG GAME
Join us every Monday for this new popular tile game at 12:45 P.M. – 3:35 P.M.

Craft Classes
Wednesdays from 9:30-11 AM

Pastel Dreamers Coloring Classes
Thursdays 10 - 11:30 AM
NO SUPPLIES NEEDED!

Bridge Club
Fridays at 12:30 PM
Call 508-865-9154 for info about any program.

Cribbage Club
Join us every Monday at 1PM
for our Cribbage Club! Have Lunch ahead of time at noon to make it a fun filled day! ***Noon lunch every Monday - Friday. Suggested donation $2.50. Every Friday is special treat day. A 48 hour reservation is required.***

Exercise Classes at the Senior Center
Drop in for any of our ongoing health and wellness classes at the Senior Center. Call 508.865.9154 for information about any class.

Light Exercise... Mondays & Fridays 9:30-10:15 AM (FREE) Low Impact

Tai Chi… Tuesdays 9:30 - 10:15 AM ($3) Great for Balance!

Zumba... Tuesdays 10:45 -11:30 AM (FREE) Fun Class!

Yoga… Tuesdays noon- 12:45 P.M. (FREE)

Foxwoods Trip!
Monday, April 1. The bus leaves the Millbury Senior Center at 7AM and returns at 4:45 PM.
Cost is $26. Call or stop by the Senior Center to reserve your seat! (508) 865-9154.

Millbury Senior Center's MEMORY CAFÉ
Please join us for a Memory Café :
Tuesday, March 26, 2 PM - 3:30 PM
A Memory Café is a monthly gathering for people with memory loss/challenges and their care partners. It's a time to socialize, make new friends, and have a good time. Fourth Tuesday of each month, refreshments are served. Our Outreach worker, Julie Fitzgerald, will answer questions, call to RSVP 508-865-9154!

DAILY MASS ON TV AND THE INTERNET
Tune in on Monday through Friday on Charter TV3 on channel 193 at 9 AM for the local Daily Mass on cable celebrated by various priests from around our diocese.

Senior Fraud Hotline
RSVPs Senior Fraud HelpLine is a toll-free resource for seniors and their families to call when they are concerned that they are being targeted by scammers. If they are in doubt, they should check it out by calling 1-800-297-9760. Confidential. Knowledgeable. Local. Supportive

ELDERLY AND HOMEBOUND

Transportation available - 4:00 PM Saturday Vigil Mass at St. Brigid Church. This ministry is sponsored by both parishes utilizing a handi-capable van.
For information call Deacon Ron (508) 865-6624.

SHUTTLE INFORMATION
Saturday, March 2 Jerry Willette
Saturday, March 9 Chris Brady
Saturday, March 16 Ted Jakubiak

If you know of a parishioner who is homebound or shut-in, please contact Deacon Ron at (508) 865-6624 to set up a time to receive Communion. If you have a friend or relative who is a member of St. Brigid or Assumption and who is in a nursing home and would like to be visited and or receive communion, please call Deacon Ron here at the offices at (508) 865-6624. You bringing this to our attention is the only way we can be sure that our parishioners are visited.